

PRESIDENT WILSON DEEPLY CONCERNED

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TOKIO FOREIGN OFFICE STUDYING U. S. REPLY

Both Washington and Tokio Governments Are Working Hard to Bring About a Satisfactory Settlement of Question—Regard Public Expressions as Seriously Embarrassing this Time—Views of the Japanese Newspapers

COMPARATIVE STRENGTH U. S. AND JAPAN		
UNITED STATES	ARMED LAND FORCES	JAPAN
112,479	Peace Strength	230,000
14,752,293	Organized Reserves	970,000
14,864,772	Total War Strength	1,200,000
30,000,000	(Est.) Available Unorganized	2,000,000
STRENGTH OF NAVIES		
26	Modern Battleships	11
0	Cruiser Battleships	1
9	Old Battleships	4
15	First-Class Cruisers	13
17	Other Cruisers	20
21	Gunboats	6
10	Monitors	0
50	Destroyers	58
32	Torpedo Boats	48
34	Submarines	12
110,000	Naval Reserves	114,000
280,070	(Tonnage Displacement of Eighteen Biggest Vessels)	281,020

Washington, May 21.—President Wilson today sent for Representative Sisson of Mississippi, and urged him not to make any speech that would offend the sensibilities of Japan.

Mr. Sisson, who recently made a "war speech," had given notice of his intention to speak in the house Friday on the legal phases of the Japanese alien land question. He had a twenty-minute conference with the President, during which, however, he assured Mr. Wilson that he would not discuss the pending negotiations or touch on anything of an incendiary character, limiting himself to an argument on alien land ownership.

That was the White House version of the conference, though Mr. Sisson himself declined to make any comment, declaring merely that he would speak Friday.

The President is known to be anxious about discussion in congress at this stage of the Japanese question, especially involving any observations on racial discrimination.

It is indicated at the White House that the American note just sent and the tenor of future exchanges will be to assure the Japanese that the majority of Americans have a genuine respect and admiration for the achievements of the character of her people. Public expressions that might give an opposite impression are regarded at the White House, particularly at this time, as seriously embarrassing the negotiations between the state department and the Japanese ambassador.

BATTLING FOR LIFE

Young Macon Banker, Who Swallowed Poison By Mistake, Puts Up All-Night Fight With Death—Shows Most Remarkable Vitality

Macon, Ga., May 21.—B. Sanders Walker, the young local banker, whose remarkable fight against death from a bichloride of mercury poisoning has puzzled physicians, lapsed into unconsciousness this afternoon. His physicians believe that he probably will die in this condition. He had been conscious since taking the poison by mistake a week ago.

Macon, Ga., May 21.—"If this be dying, then none need fear its terrors."

B. Sanders Walker, the young banker who swallowed a bichloride of mercury tablet by mistake a week ago, made this characteristically cheerful statement today as he vainly begged his nurse to tell him exactly what had been said at a conference of physicians in a corner of his bed chamber.

Although warned from the first that death undoubtedly awaited him, Walker consistently has maintained

ASSAULT ON PATENT BILL

Manufacturers Make Vigorous Attack Upon the Oldfield Measure—Would Give Large Corporations the Advantage Over the Patent Owner

Detroit, May 21.—Discussions of "recent assaults on the patent system; what they mean to manufacturers; 'problems of industrial education,' and 'European laws and the American manufacturer' were among the topics discussed at today's session of the National Association of Manufacturers. Today was the last business day of the convention with election of officers scheduled before adjournment.

A vigorous attack against the Oldfield bill was made by Gilbert H. Montague of New York in his remarks on the patent situation.

"The Oldfield bill proposes," he said, "that if any applicant shall establish in a federal district court that a patent owner who has purchased a patented invention from the original inventor, is withholding it with the result of preventing any other person from using the patented process more than three years after the patent is issued, the court shall order the patent owner to grant to the applicant a license to use the invention upon such terms of royalty as the court may deem just."

"The burden of litigation which this proposal involves would give large corporations the greatest advantage over ordinary patent owners. The excuse offered for this universal proscription of patent is that patents are sometimes suppressed."

"In the closing sessions of the old congress, members of the house committee, representing both parties united in a minority report against the Oldfield bill. They showed that every evil for which the bill has been urged could be cured under existing laws."

RETURNS OF ELECTION

Denver, Colo., May 21.—At 9 o'clock this morning returns from approximately one-third of the precincts were available as a means of determining the outcome of Denver's first election under the commission plan, with the headless ballot and preferential voting. It is practically certain that no candidate for any office has received the required majority of either first choice votes or first and second choice votes combined, and the election judges are adding each candidate's quota of "other choice" votes in an effort to discover who has been elected.

On this basis, leading candidates at 9 o'clock were as follows:

Commissioner of Improvements—John B. Hunter.

Commissioner of social welfare—J. M. Perkins.

Commissioner of safety—Hamilton Armstrong.

Commissioner of finance—Clair J. Pletcher.

Commissioner of property—Otto Thum.

Auditor—James F. Markey.

It is generally considered that the proposal submitted to the voters to authorize a commission to investigate and submit a plan for boring a railroad tunnel through James Peak was carried.

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OUTRAGE BY SUFFRAGISTS

Edinburgh, Scotland, May 21.—A bomb exploded in the west dome of the Royal observatory at half past one this morning. The astronomical instruments were badly damaged, but the building itself escaped serious damage. The police declare that militant suffragettes committed the outrage.

MEXICO IS TO HAVE MONEY

Mexico City, May 21.—The Mexican congress early today gave its sanction to an agreement for a loan of \$100,000,000 at six per cent interest. The amount is guaranteed by 38 per cent of the customs receipts. The Mexican National Bank is named as the representative of the bankers in the supervision of the disbursement.

The debate on the loan was a long one, lasting until midnight.

The minister of finance was charged with failure to take better offers which had been made. He replied that provisional President Huerta and the other members of the Mexican cabinet had urged on him the immediate acceptance of this loan, as the other offers received necessitated more delay.

It is still necessary for congress to discuss and vote upon the four articles of the financial measure but its approval of the general terms of the bill makes it nearly certain that it will also approve the details.

The loan has been placed with French bankers but it is certain that British interests are participating. The names of the bankers have not been announced.

RAILWAY MAIL CLERK IS CAUGHT

R. Albright, a railway mail clerk running between Ogden and Cheyenne on the Union Pacific, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Postoffice Inspectors R. E. Nelson of Denver and L. A. McGee of Ogden. It is alleged that the mail clerk has been opening registered letters and special delivery envelopes, and taking the contents.

The arrest was made after several weeks of investigation.

The inspectors used the old method of sending decoy letters through the mails until the man is alleged to have opened one of the decoys. It is stated that marked bills, which had been placed in registered letters, had been found in Albright's possession when the arrest was made.

Albright was taken to Cheyenne where he will be arraigned before the federal judge on the charge of embezzlement.

GRADUATES OF OGDEN HIGH SCHOOL

The following is a list of graduates of Ogden high school:

Class 1912-13:

Harriet Farley, Vernon May, Helen Bichel, Margaret Dillie, Willis Smith, Henrietta Meyer, Alia Calvert, Ethel Smyth, Alvira Boyle, Beatrice Pingree, Orelia Blackman, Tribby Jarman, Florence Dinsmore, Laura Randall, Kathryn Melvin, Alice Stone, Francis Coray, Marguerite Hart, Raymond Pearson, Minnie Grooms, Roland Williams, Ray Everett, Russell Lund, Byron Fernlund.

Class 1913:

Susie Simister, Blanche Johnson, Hannah Hayman, Viola Gledhill, Pauline Malan, Inez Ingebreten, Ralph Parker, Vera Frey, Lorna Jenkins, Myra Grout, Grace Atkinson, Amelia Ford, Irene Season, Bernice Whitaker, Hildy Yokoyama, Nellie McQuade, Josephine Taggart, Clare Davis, Lulu Hinchcliff, Iris Malone, Sarah Van Patten, Margaret Sims, Ida Anderson, Maud Allen, Maria Smith, Ruth Mosteller, John Check, Ruth Wattis, George Hamill, Rulon Tillotson, Don Hastings, William Baker, Florence Zimmerman, Edella Dalton, Eva Fouts, Val Browning, Kate Newman, Clara Koepf, Albert Greenwell, Loyal Griffin, Oliver Ellis, Harry Stowe, Agnes Rogers, Margaret Long, Lura Chambers, Lucy Fuller, Raymond Allison, J. Clinton Jones, Martha Scudder, Orlaf Farr.

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STRENUOUS TIMES FOR BRITISHERS

New York, May 21.—The British, Australian and Belgian delegates who sailed for Europe early today after a fifteen-day visit to this country and Canada, planning the celebration of the centenary of peace between English-speaking peoples, were given an excellent opportunity to experience at first hand America's reputed dash and swiftness.

In the fifteen days they traveled 4,000 miles and were guests at fifty-five formal banquets, luncheons and dinners. This is an average of 3-2-3 formal meals and 266-2-3 miles a day. One thousand miles of the trip was made by automobiles.

SOLDIERS OF FRANCE MAD

Paris, May 21.—Some French soldiers are displaying considerable opposition to the decision of the government to keep them for another year in active service instead of discharging them at the expiration of their two-year term. Demonstrations have occurred in a number of garrison towns. The government is acting with great energy in suppressing opposition.

A number of soldiers who took part in a demonstration at Toulon on Sunday were tried by court martial today and sentenced to serve the rest of their term with the disciplinary battalions in northern Africa.

At Macon one hundred soldiers assembled in the public square and sang "The International," the Socialist hymn. Speeches were made condemning the introduction of the three-year term of military service.

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'GIVE THEM OWN STUFF'

Witnesses in Lawrence Dynamite Conspiracy Tells of Employers Determination to Use Explosives in Fight Against Strikers—Breen Tells His Story

Boston, May 21.—Frederick E. Atteaux, a dye manufacturer and co-defendant with President William M. Wood of the American Woolen company, in the dynamite conspiracy trial, hired John J. Breen, a Lawrence undertaker to "plant" explosives in buildings occupied by the striking textile operatives, according to Breen, who testified for the state today.

Atteaux, the witness said, gave him \$500 before the dynamite was placed and made a second payment of \$200 some time later.

Breen testified that he said to Atteaux, "If I were fighting those fellows (meaning the strikers), I'd fight them by their own methods." Atteaux, he said, asked him if he meant dynamite and he replied:

"Dynamite or anything else."

Ernest Pitman of Andover, a builder, who committed suicide when the grand jury began its investigation, was named by Breen as the person who delivered the dynamite to Breen and to Denis J. Collins, the third defendant, who yesterday turned state's evidence.

On cross-examination, the witness declared he never had conspired with Wood, Atteaux or Pitman to injure any person or property.

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Breen told of meeting Collins and of asking Collins to go to Lawrence with him. Later he met Atteaux at a street corner. Atteaux got out of a taxicab and said:

"Follow me, John."

"I followed him," continued Breen, "and he dropped a package. As I picked it up, he said: 'Don't say I never gave you anything.' When I opened the package, I found it contained \$500."

Breen made a second trip to the street corner, this time with Collins. "I stood on the corner," said the witness, "until Pitman came up. He took me down the street and introduced me to a Mr. Rice. 'Mr. Rice has the package for you,' he said. I took the bundle and said to Mr. Rice: 'What danger is there with this?' He said: 'None, it's frozen solid.'"

"I carried the bundle up to the corner, where Collins was waiting in a doorway. I said to him: 'Here's the dynamite. Be careful, even if Mr. Rice does say there is no danger.'"

Breen said that he and Collins took a train for Lawrence, where they went to Breen's room. Here Collins opened the bundle and made smaller packages of the contents.

On the stand yesterday Collins, who has turned state's evidence, gave a similar version of the disposition of the dynamite in Breen's rooms, but denied that he knew the package contained dynamite. He declared that Breen told him only that it was "juice."

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